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Verizon California Inc. (Verizon) hereby transmits for filing the following new tariff schedules:

Arizona Universal Service Fund
Schedule No. B-3

3rd Revised Sheet B3-1
3rd Revised Sheet B3-2

In accordance with Docket No. RT-00000H-97-0137, the purpose of this filing is to change the year 2005 Arizona Universal Service Fund surcharges for Category One and Category Two providers as ordered by Commission decision.

Verizon respectfully request that this filing become effective on January 1, 2005.

It is requested that a stamped "Approved" copy of this filing be returned to the address below:

Ms. Brenda Birdwell
Director Regulatory Affairs
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If you have any questions pertaining to this filing, please call me at (805) 372-6751 or Felicia Hudson at (805) 372-7209.

Very truly yours,

VERIZON CALIFORNIA INC.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Brenda Birdwell". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Brenda Birdwell
Director – Regulatory Affairs

Attachments

ARIZONA

SCHEDULE NO. B-3

ARIZONA UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND

LIST OF EFFECTIVE SHEETS

Sheets 1 through 3 of this schedule are effective as of the date shown on each sheet.

<u>Sheet</u>	<u>Number of Revision</u>	
1	3rd	*
2	3rd	*
3	1st	

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ARIZONA

SCHEDULE NO. B-3

ARIZONA UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND (continued)

A1 Universal Service Fund Surcharge

B1 Description

The surcharges set forth below relate to funding the Arizona Universal Service Fund (AUSF) and are in addition to the rates and charges for intraLATA MTS and local service as set forth in Schedule No. B-1 and Schedule No. A-1 respectively. If the Utility determines that the annually-assessed amount has been collected prior to the end of the calendar year, collection of these surcharges will be suspended for the remainder of that year, subject to any subsequent adjustment necessitated by Commission order.

B2 Rate

The surcharge rates are in accordance with Decision No. 66651. As the Arizona Corporation Commission issues orders which increase or decrease the requirement for AUSF funding, the surcharge rates will be adjusted pursuant to Arizona Administrative Code R14-2-1201 et seq. and R14-2-1206 A.

Surcharge

C1 IntraLATA MTS - Category 2

- Assessed on total monthly IntraLATA MTS charges	0.2870%	(I)
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C2 Access Line - Category 1

- Assessed per access line, per month	\$ 0.007626	(R)
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